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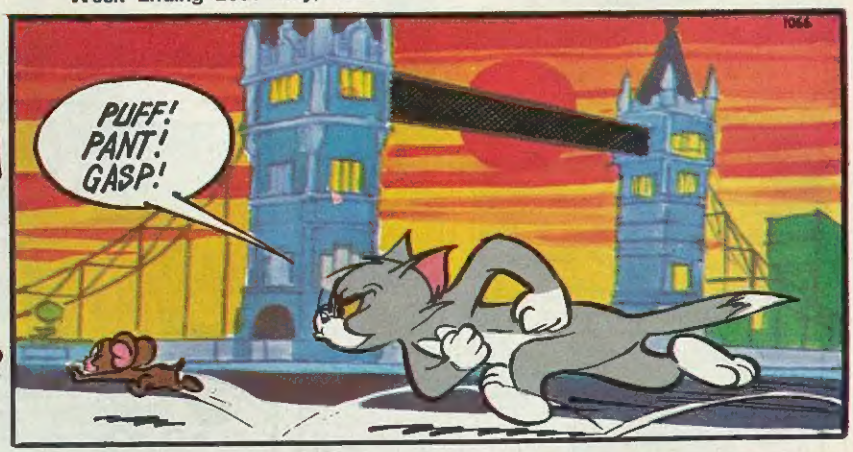

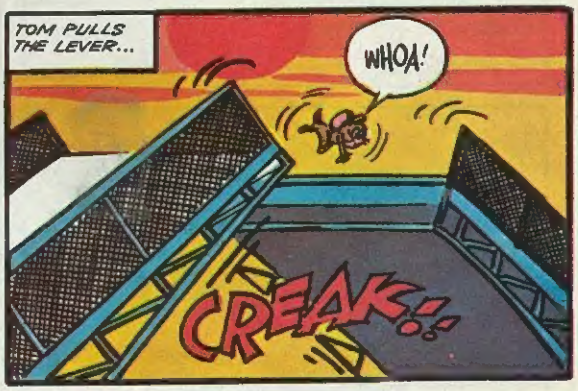

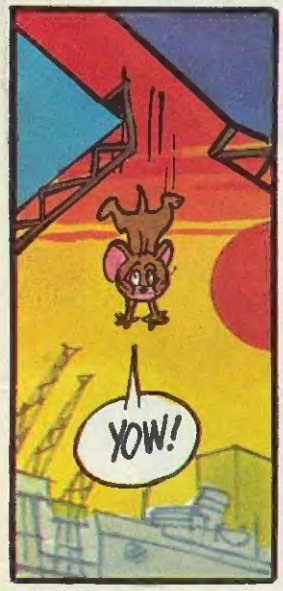

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Drop inside for more fun.

SAVED BY A BLAST FROM THE TUG'S HOOTER!
CURSES!
DON'T THINK YOU'LL ESCAPE ME MOUSE!
MAKING FOR THE TOWER OF LONDON, EH?... I'LL SOON CATCH HIM!
HALT! ONLY BEEFEATERS ARE ALLOWED PAST THIS POINT!
WELL IT'S HIGH TIME YOU LET A MOUSE-EATER IN! YUK! YUK!
LATER...
SO! HIDING AMONGST THE CROWN JEWELS, EH?
NOT EXACTLY A GEM OF A HIDING PLACE, EH, MOUSE? SLURP!
AHA! IT APPEARS WE HAVE A CAT BURGLAR TO DEAL WITH!
GULP!
ONLY KINGS AND QUEENS ARE ALLOWED TO LAY HANDS ON THE FAMOUS JEWELS...
... IN THAT CASE I'D BETTER CROWN YOU, EH, TOM? TE! HE! HE!

Next week, the cruel moggies versus the magnficent mice.

TV TERRORS

A LITTLE TREAT FOR YOU, HOPPIT! OUR FILM UNIT IS OUT IN THE U.S.A. FILMING A RODEO... I WOULD LIKE YOU TO GO OUT AND JOIN THEM!
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PRODUCER
GOSH, THANK YOU, SIR!
SIGH! ALMOST THERE NOW! I'M RATHER LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING BUCKING BRONCOS IN ACTION!

EXCUSE ME, SIR... BUT I HAVE FOUND SOME STOWAWAYS IN THE BAGGAGE COMPARTMENT. THEY CLAIM THEY'RE WITH YOU!
WESTERN
STOWAWAYS, MISS? WITH ME?

GREAT STUFF, HOPPIT! THIS IS THE BEST FILM YET!
THUD!
JAR!
YOW! IF ONLY THE OTHERS HAD COME DOWN BY PARACHUTE AND BEEN ABLE TO SEE THIS! HO! HO!
SNORT!

BACK HOME...
CONGRATULATIONS, HOPPIT! THE FILM WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN THE SAME WITHOUT YOU!
GLOWER!
WHOP!
HO! HO! THAT BRONCO'S KICK EASILY BEATS HOPPIT'S WHUMP!

Next week Hoppit wastes time with a nursery rhyme.

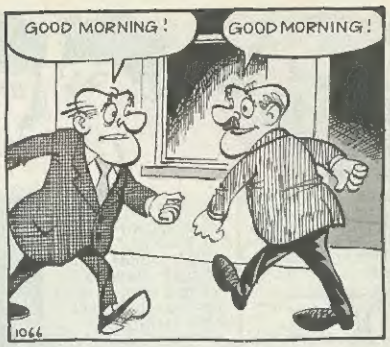
THE AVENGERS

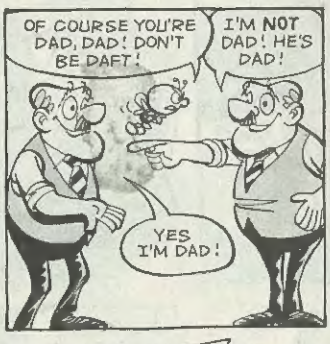
JOHN STEED and Tara King have discovered that forged banknotes have been substituted for brand new notes delivered to the Bank of England. Their investigations take them to Carver Hall, owned by Sir Cedric Cramp, who is president of a society which re-enacts battles of the Civil War.

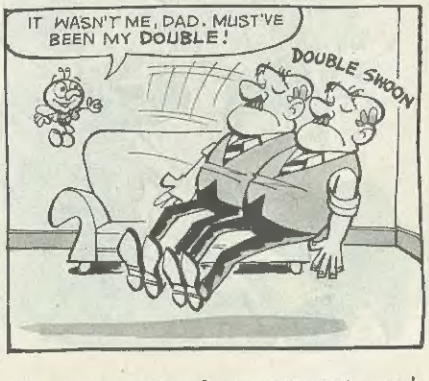
Based on the Thames Television production

Continued in our next issue!

Mighty Moth







The outlook's bright when Mothy reads the weather forecast next week.

DAD'S ARMY

CAPTAIN MAINWARING WAS SURE NOW THAT HIS PLATOON HAD A WEAPON TO STOP A GERMAN TANK, IN THE SHAPE OF THE OLD CROMWELLIAN FIRING PIECE "BORROWED" FROM THE LOCAL MUSEUM...
AT LAST WE HAVE THE MEANS TO STOP AN EMEMY TANK!
DON'T YOU BELIEVE IT!
KNOCKING A PILE OF TIN CANS DOWN FROM ABOUT TWENTY YARDS IS NAE WAY OF PROVING THAT YON THING CAN STOP A TANK!

WHAT ABOUT IT, STUPID BOY? IT HASN'T MOVED FROM THERE SINCE IT BROKE DOWN DURING THE LAST WAR!
I DON'T KNOW THOUGH. FRANK MIGHT HAVE A POINT, SIR!

MEANWHILE...
VERY INTERESTINK. NOW FOR A CLOSE LOOK AT WHAT ISS GOING ON!
I HOPE OLD MAINWARING KEEPS HIS GLASSES ON! HE'S AS BLIND AS A BAT WITHOUT THEM!

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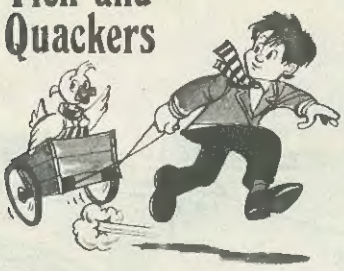
Don't miss next week's hilarious episode!

Johnny Morris's ANIMAL MAGIC

THE Lynx is a very beautiful big cat. It has tufts on the tips of its ears.

Next week, the Kudu and the Bongo.

Tich and Quackers



H'MM! I'VE LOST A FIVER... IF YOU TWO CLOTS CAN FIND IT I'LL GIVE YOU A BAG OF GOB-STOPPERS!
IT'S A DEAL, SIR! WE SHALL GET ON ITS TRAIL IMMEDIATELY.

HERE IS THE SERIAL NUMBER OF THE FIVER! I ALWAYS KEEP A NOTE OF MY NOTES IN CASE THEY ARE PINCHED!
A WISE PRECAUTION, MY ASSISTANT WILL TAKE CHARGE OF IT!

BESIDES, WE KNOW WHICH WAY PERCY WALKS HOME EVERY DAY..SO WE JUST GO BACK OVER HIS ROUTE!
HEE! HEE! YOU REALLY WOULD MAKE A GOOD DETECTIVE, TICH!

YAAGH! AAGH! GNASH! GNASH!
HO! HO! I THINK WE HAD BETTER GET LOST NOW, QUACKERS!
YES, TICH! BEFORE PERCY HIRES ANOTHER DETECTIVE TO FIND US! HO! HO!

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Errands drive Quackers crackers next week.

TEXAS TED

Big hat, big head

GOING, GOING GAWN AUCTIONEERS
SALE OF STAGE PROPS
SOLD TO THE GENTLEMAN IN THE COWBOY HAT! NEXT LOT, PLEASE!
GOOD ON YUH, MISTER!
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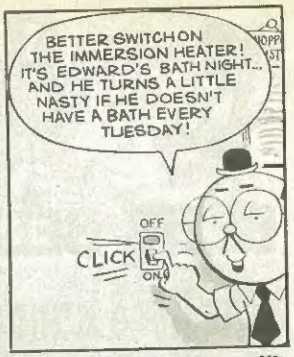

BETTER SWITCH ON THE IMMERSION HEATER! IT'S EDWARD'S BATH NIGHT... AND HE TURNS A LITTLE NASTY IF HE DOESN'T HAVE A BATH EVERY TUESDAY!
OFF
CLICK
ON

COUSIN! COUSIN! GUESS WHAT AH'S JUST LAID MA HANDS ON?
NOW WE KIN HAVE A DECENT CUP O' CHAR, COUSIN! AH WUZ GITTIN' KINDA FED-UP O' THEM THIMBLESFUL YUH'S BEEN SERVIN' UP!
GASP!
LOT 45
NOW THERE'S A PROBLEM, EDWARD ...IT'S TOO BIG TO GO IN THE SINK TO BE FILLED!
H'MM! RECKON YOU'RE RIGHT, COUSIN, BUT AH'LL THINK O' SOMETHIN'!

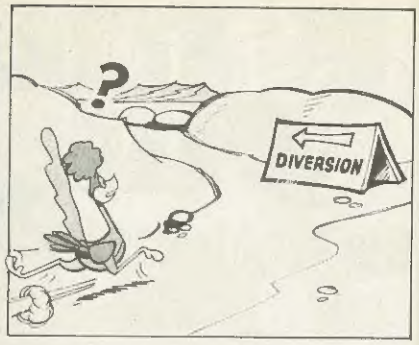
THERE! TOLD YUH I'D THINK O' SOMETHIN'!
MY, AREN'T WE CLEVER!
GAWSH! SURE IS HEAVY, COUSIN! GASP!
SWISH
SPLISH
YOU'LL...ER... HAVE TO START DRINKING...ER ...STRONGER TEA, EDWARD! TE-HE!
YIKES! CAREFUL EDWARD! YOU'RE SPILLING IT!
SPLISH

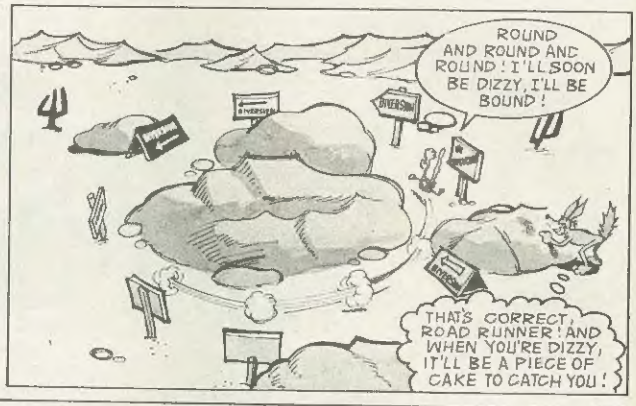
OH, DEAR! MY EYES ARE FULL OF WATER! WHERE IS THE TOWEL, EDWARD?
BUMP!
DOGGONE! LOOK WHERE YUH'S GOING, COUSIN! YUH'S KNOCKED THE...
GULP
KERACK!

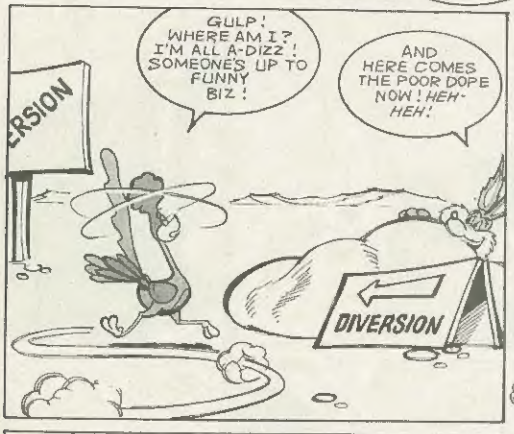
ER... AH'S AFRAID THERE'S BIN A LITTLE ACCIDENT, COUSIN!
OH, NO
MOP
THAT NIGHT...
ER... ONE LUMP OR TWO, EDWARD?
BATH CUBES
GRR! ANY MORE OF THE CRACKS, COUSIN, AND YOU'LL BE GETTIN' A LUMP... ON YER HEAD!
THERE'S ALWAYS SOMETHING BREWING WHEN TED'S AROUND! AND THIS TIME IT'S TED HIMSELF! TE-HE!
FRANK McDIARMID

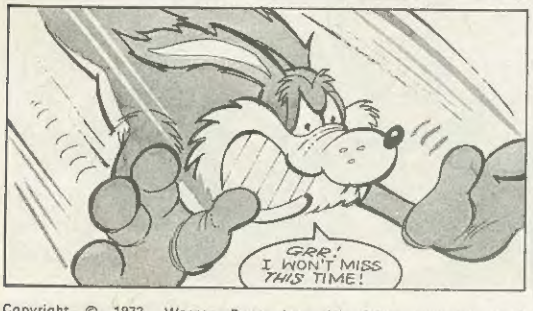
Next week Ted's bait seals the fishes' fate.

BEEP BEEP
The Road Runner




ROUND AND ROUND AND ROUND! I'LL SOON BE DIZZY, I'LL BE BOUND!
THAT'S CORRECT, ROAD RUNNER! AND WHEN YOU'RE DIZZY, IT'LL BE A PIECE OF CAKE TO CATCH YOU!





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Soon—Beep Beep and Little Bo Peep.

READER'S PAGE

Send your letters to: The Editor, Reader's Page, Polly Perkins House, Paddington Green, 382-386 Edgware Road, London, W2 1EP. We will pay £1 for any item published.

HERE is a happy TV Comic reader from Newcastle-Upon-Tyne. She is nine-year-old Julia Roxburgh. Julia says her favourite feature in the comic is Pink Panther, who she thinks is very funny.

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I THOUGHT you would like to know about our cat. She is far too fat and lazy to catch mice but we daren't bait traps with cheese because our puss has started to eat it. It all started recently when I dropped some cheese from my fishing rod and puss sniffed at it and then ate it, and now she will eat every bit she can get her paws on.

Stephen White, Northampton.

Maybe the mice will take to liking cat food now your cat eats their cheese!

Family funnies

ONE day my brother was reading a book about trees. He learned how to tell the age of a tree, by counting the rings across the trunk. When he sat down to tea he looked at the end of the Swiss roll and said, "I'm not eating it, it's three years old!"

Kalwant, London, SE18.

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JANE ZIOLEK from Beckenham, Kent, sent us this riddle. Try to solve it before you look at the answer below.

My first is in pebble but not in stone,
My second's in house but not in home,
My third's in gnawing but not in chew,
My fourth's in sight but not in view,
My fifth's in bright but not in dull,
My sixth's in nuthatch and also in gull,
My seventh's in new but not in old,
My eighth's in nickel but not in gold,
My ninth's in Sally and also in Roy,
My whole is in the TV Comic which we enjoy!

Answer: Kuung sǝnƃ

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NINE-YEAR-OLD Nicholas Green, from Finchley, London, sent us this photograph of himself with his dog, Seamus. He says that Seamus is a very good guard dog and he has a strange habit—wasp catching! He is obviously good at it because Nicholas says he never gets stung.

HERE is a photograph of one of our Scottish readers. He is 15-year-old Jimmy McGouldrick, from Newport-on-Tay, in Fife.

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I WOULD like to tell you all about my pet dog, Laddie. Every morning he comes upstairs and if I am asleep he comes and licks my face and if I don't wake up he gets his two paws together and pounces on me. He has a brother named Flash, who, like Laddie, is a Collie. They are show dogs and most of their other brothers and sisters have gone to Spain.

Lynn Reeves, Newcastle.

Laddie certainly makes a big show of waking you up in the morning, Lynn

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ONE very cold, windy, wet day, Mum went outside to empty the water from the coal bucket. She threw the coal water into the wind but it came straight back into her face and all down her lovely white jumper.

Marie Flanagan, Leicester.

I hope you didn't give her a black look when she came in, Marie.

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BASIL BRUSH

COME ALONG, CHUMMERS... WE'RE GOING TO DO A SPOT OF BIRDWATCHING TODAY!

LUVVUS! WOT NEXT?

SSSH! NOT A SOUND NOW, CHUMMERS! THERE'S THE RARE, CRESTED WOOD FINCH! I MUST PHOTOGRAPH IT!

TICKLE! TICKLE!

OH, NO! YOU CLOT, CHUMMERS! YOU'VE SCARED IT OFF!

ACHOOOOO!

SORRY, GUV! THAT BRANCH TICKLED ME SNITCH AND MADE ME SNEEZE!

JUST TRY AND BE A LITTLE MORE CAREFUL NEXT TIME!

BY JINGO! OUR LUCK'S IN, CHUMMERS! THERE'S A RARE SPOTTED TREE WARBLER!

I'D BETTER KEE... AWAY FROM THAT B... DON'T WANT TO SP... THINGS FOR THE G... AGAIN!

SNAP!

YEEEAAAGH!

OH, NO! NOT AGAIN! CHUMMERS HAS SCARED THAT ONE OFF TOO!

SORRY AGAIN, GUV! I BACKED ON TO THAT THORNY BUSH!

YOU'RE SPOILING EVERYTHING, CHUMMERS!

YOU STAY UP THERE, CHUMMERS... OUT OF THE WAY! CAN'T HAVE YOU SCARING OFF MORE BIRDS!

AHA! I CAN'T FAIL THIS TIME! MY BATTY BUTLER IS WELL AWAY FROM HERE!

PRACK!

YEEEIKES! W-WHAT NOW? ANOTHER BIRD SCARED OFF!

SORRY, GUV! BUT I'M AFRAID THIS BRANCH BROKE! YOWCH!

I GIVE UP! LET'S GO HOME, CHUMMERS!

CRASH!

I'M GLAD THAT'S ALL OVER! I'LL NEVER MAKE A BIRDWATCHER... I SCARE THE BIRDS AWAY!

CHUMMERS! WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU'RE DOING?

GLUP! I WAS ONLY PUTTING ME FEET UP FOR A COUPLE O' MINUTES, GUV!

FEET UP! YOU SHOULD BE SCARING BIRDS!

SC-SCARING BIRDS, GUV' B-B-BUT?

CHUMMERS! SCARING BIRDS! OK AT THE LITTLE RASCALS... SOON WON'T HAVE A SEED LEFT!

YOU CAN'T WIN!

CLACK!

CLACK!

CLACKETY!

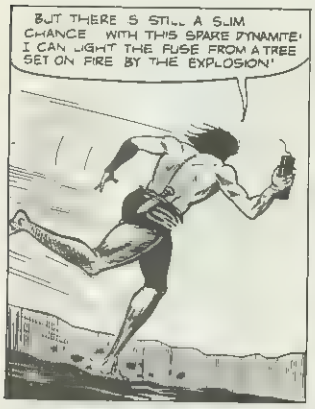
THAT BUTLER NEVER WATCHES OUT FOR THOSE BIRDS!

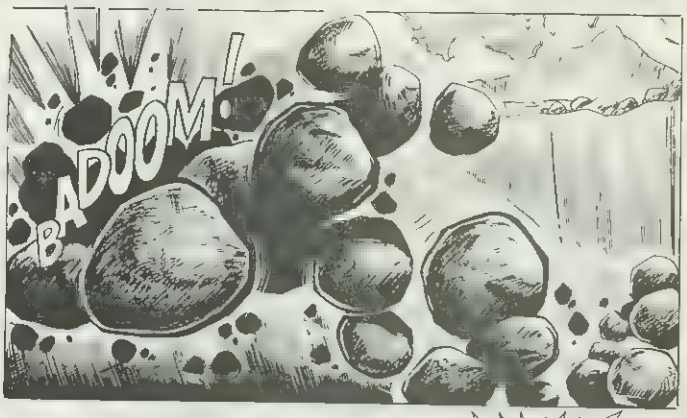
Meet your foxey pal again in our next issue.

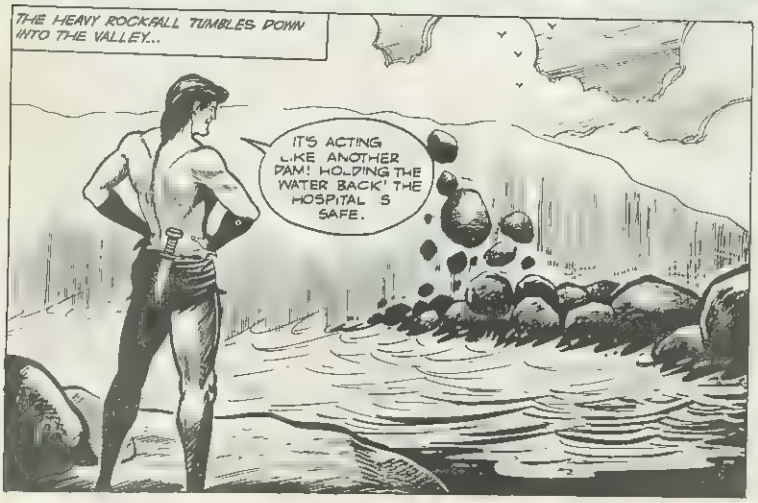
THE ADVENTURES OF EDGAR RICE BURROUGHS' TARZAN

STUBBORN and superstitious as he is, old chief Nada seeks vengeance on the new hospital where an unfortunate accident rendered him a cripple. Tarzan is unable to stop him blowing up a dam to flood the hospital . . .

CRACK!
IT'S ONLY A MATTER OF MOMENTS BEFORE THE WATER BURSTS THROUGH!
BA DOOM!
REVENGE S MINE! THE EXPLOSIVES HAVE CRACKED THE DAM WALL!







MEANWHILE, CHIEF NADA HAS MISCALCULATED BADLY.
AAH! THE FLOOD WATERS RISE OVER ME! AND WITH MY LEGS PARALYSED I-I CANNOT SWIM!

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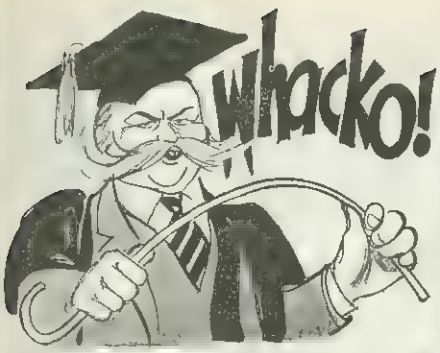
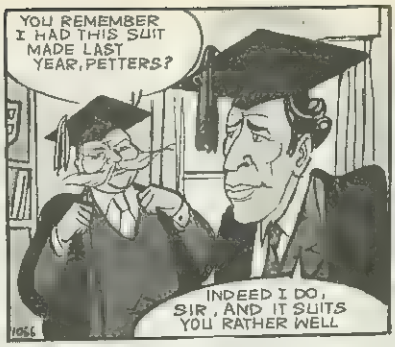
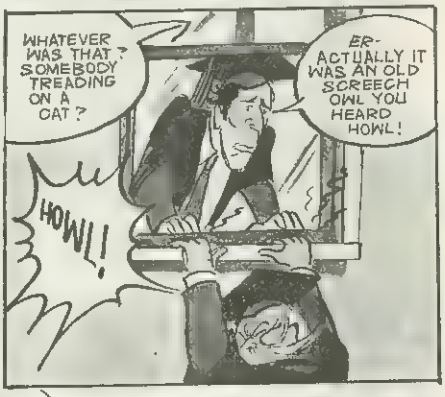
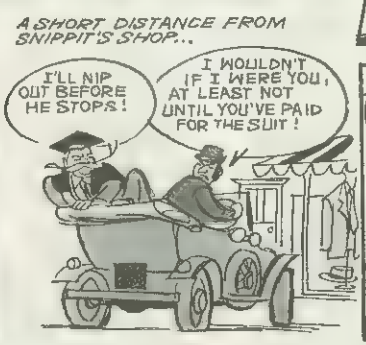
Will the chief drown ? See next week !








A SHORT DISTANCE FROM SNIPPIT'S SHOP...
I'LL NIP OUT BEFORE HE STOPS!
I WOULDN'T IF I WERE YOU, AT LEAST NOT UNTIL YOU'VE PAID FOR THE SUIT!

I'VE A WEALTHY CLIENT, WHO WANTS A SUIT IN THE SAME MATERIAL AS YOURS BUT INSISTS ON SEEING IT MADE UP!
LUMME, WHAT DO YOU TAKE ME FOR? A TAILOR'S DUMMY?

I SAY! I RATHER CARE FOR THAT ONE! I LIKE THE WELL WORN LOOK. TAKE IT OFF. I'LL PAY FOR IT NOW!
YOU'D BETTER DO AS HE SAYS. IT'LL SAVE YOU PAYING ANYWAY!

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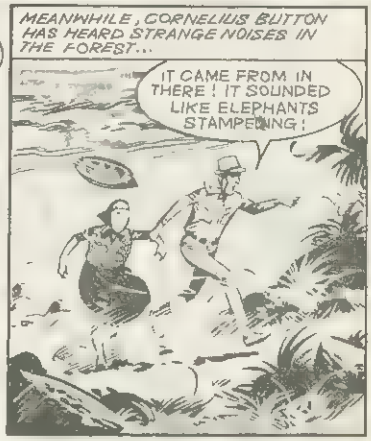
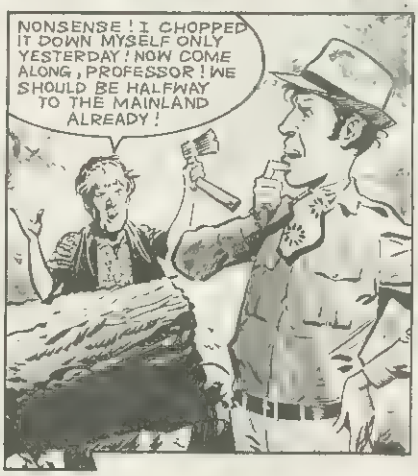
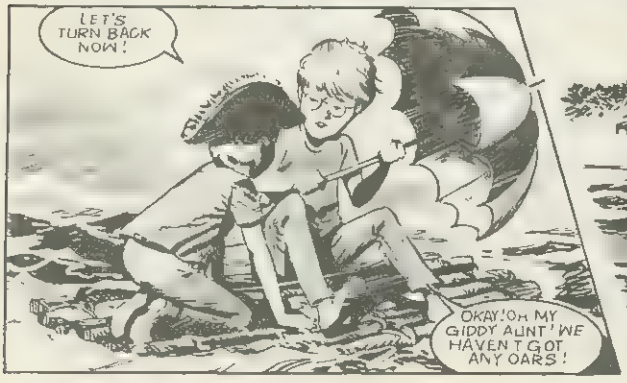
Join Jim again next week.

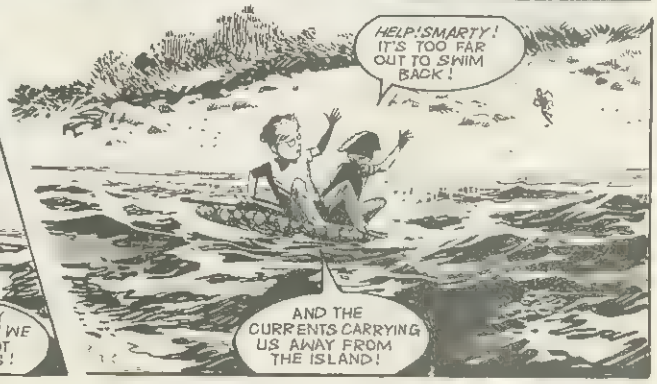
GRASSHOPPER ISLAND

THE boys have chopped down a tree to make a raft. Cornelius Button has heard the crash and is going to investigate, Lupus is trying to stop him.


MEANWHILE, CORNELIUS BUTTON HAS HEARD STRANGE NOISES IN THE FOREST...
IT CAME FROM IN THERE! IT SOUNDED LIKE ELEPHANTS STAMPEDING!







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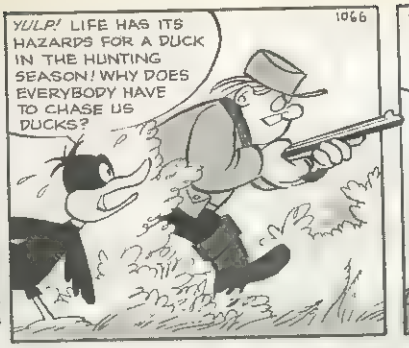
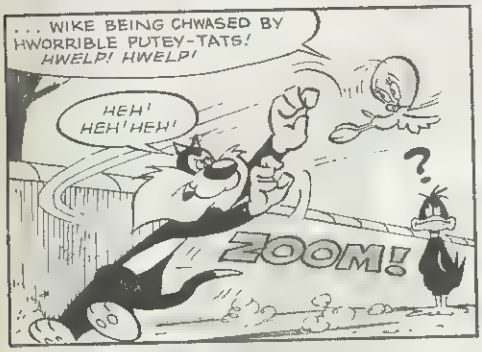
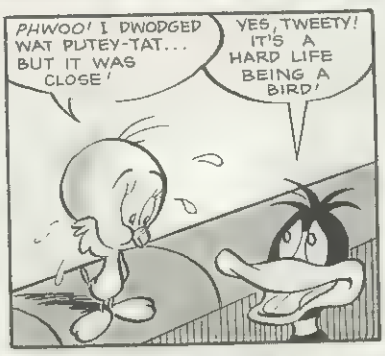
Can Smarty rescue his friends ? More next week.

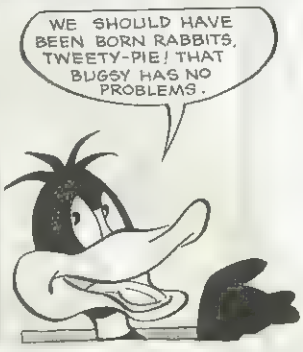
THE BUGS BUNNY SHOW

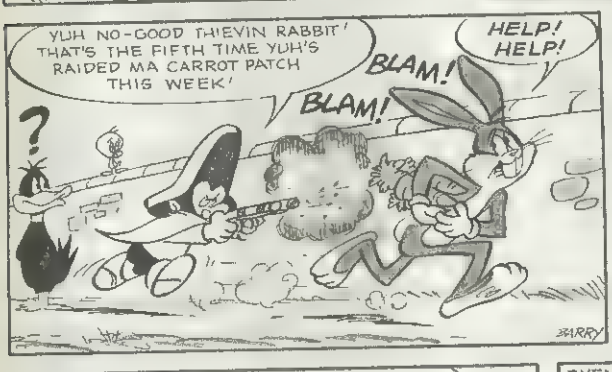
FACE THE CHASE

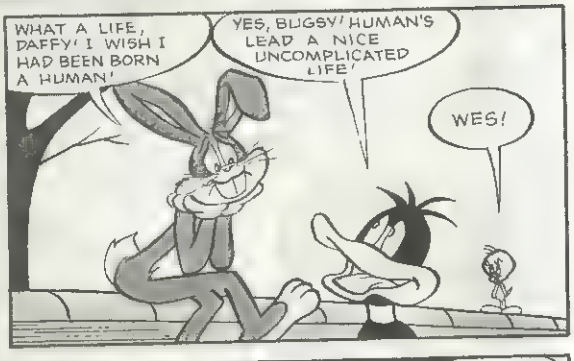


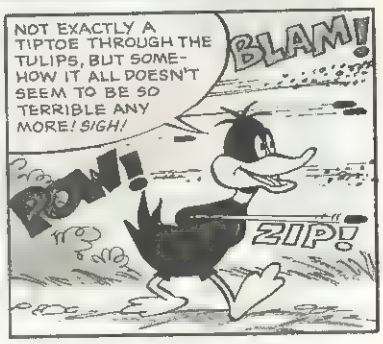












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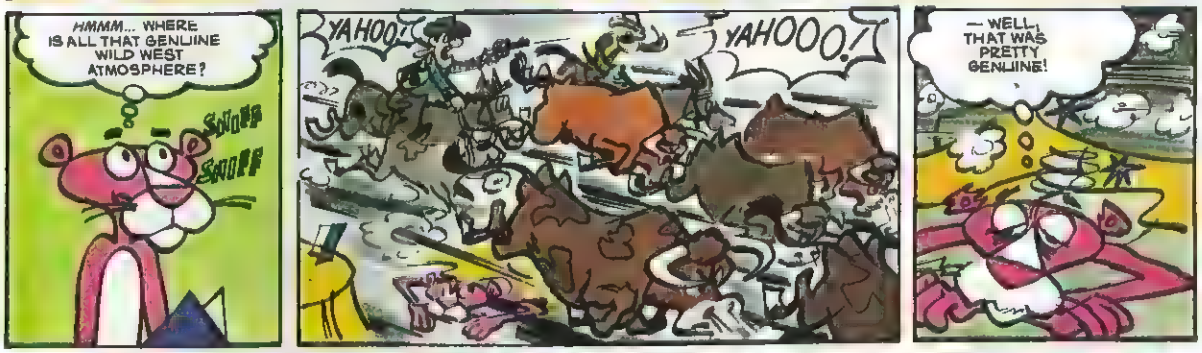
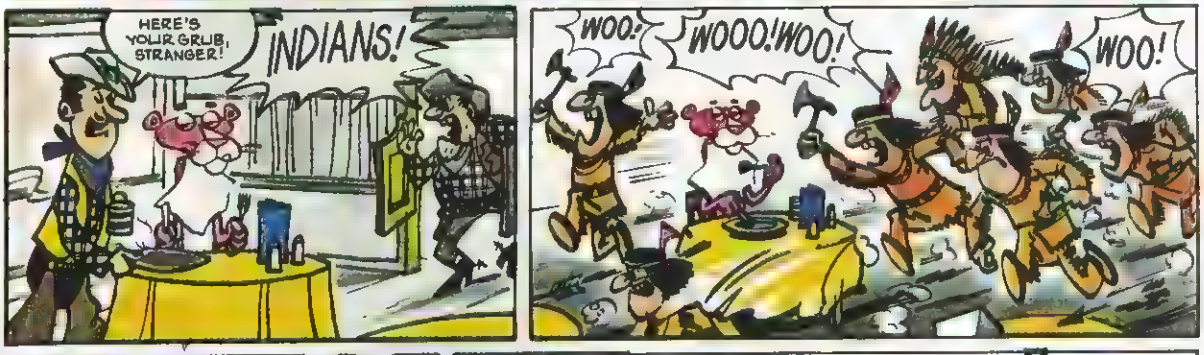
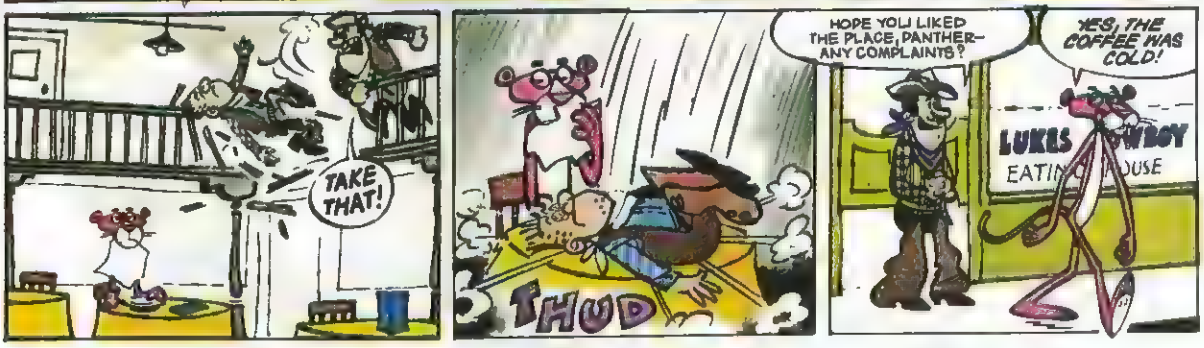
WHY DON'T YOU GO ALONG, IT HAS A GENUINE WESTERN ATMOSPHERE!
VISIT BIG LUKES GENUINE
HOWDEE, STRANGER— TAKE A CHAIR!
I'LL HAVE A BUFFALO STEAK WITH COWBOY BEANS AND A CUP OF 'HOME ON THE RANGE' COFFEE!







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Next week Panther's job goes like clockwork.

Pick of the Jokes

Sally Breaks—Yorks.

Leslie Corbett—Warks.

Chris Blunden—Hants.

Rosamunde Elliott—Herts

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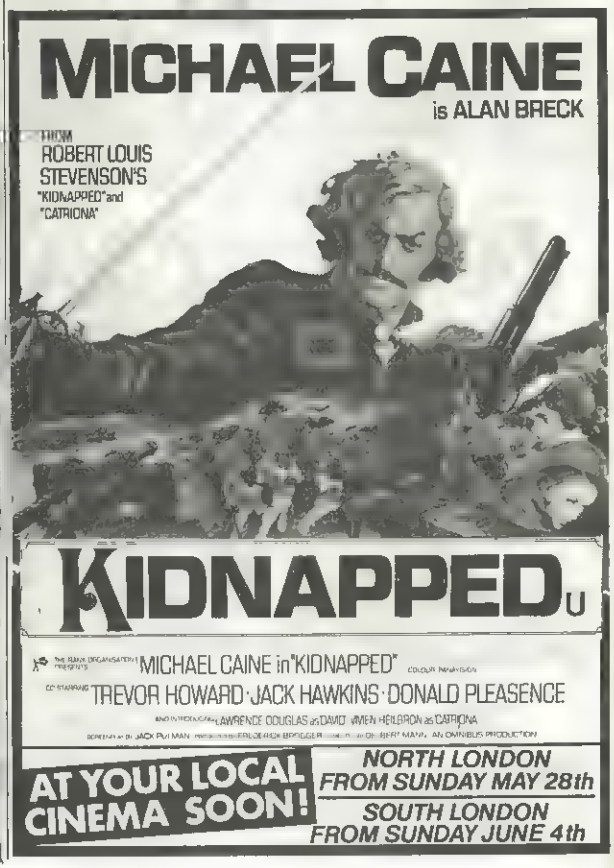
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Laurel & Hardy
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I WISH OLLIE WOULD BUY A WASHING MACHINE! HE'S SO FAT HIS CLOTHES MAKE A LOT OF WASHING!
1066
OLLIE COULDN'T WE HAVE A WASHING MACHINE? I'M FED UP DOING THE LAUNDRY!
WHAT? DO YOU REALISE HOW MUCH A WASHING MACHINE COSTS?
LOOK, STANLEY! WHERE DO WE FIND THAT KIND OF MONEY, I ASK YOU?
THEY ARE EXPENSIVE, OLLIE!
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EVEN A SECOND-HAND MODEL IS BEYOND OUR POCKET, STANLEY!
YES, OLLIE!
NOW, STANLEY! YOU DO THE SHOPPING AND I SHALL GO HOME AND REST!
YES, OLLIE!
STORE
BEANS
THIS IS A MOST ANNOYING JOB, CHARLES!
AS SOON AS WE FINISH ONE, IT'S OUT-OF-DATE AND WE HAVE TO START WORK ON A NEW MODEL!
RESEARCH LABORATORY
SUDS WASHING POWDER
MIGHT AS WELL THROW THE OLD ONE OUT! NO USE NOW!
CRASH!
SUDS WASHING
OOH! I THINK OLLIE WOULD LIKE THAT! I'LL TAKE IT HOME WITH ME!
NEXT WASHING DAY
STANLEY! WHAT ARE YOU DOING LAZING ABOUT? DON'T YOU KNOW IT'S WASHING DAY?
YES, OLLIE! I KNOW THAT!
I HAVE LEFT IT IN THE CAPABLE HANDS OF OUR WASHING MACHINE!
WHIRRR
CLANK
THERE YOU ARE, OLLIE! SPLENDID, ISN'T HE?
YEEK! A ROBOT!
WHRRRRRR
CLANK!
WHRRRRRR
YES, OLLIE! YOU TELL ME OF ANOTHER WASHING MACHINE THAT HANGS OUT THE WASHING TOO!
WHRRRRR
STANLEY! THERE'S HOPE FOR YOU YET
WHRRRRRR

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SKIPPY
the bush kangaroo

SONNY, Mark and Skippy have befriended two clowns from a circus that has come to the township of Coolbar. While in town, Skippy saves a little girl from serious injury, but her Uncle Floyd, who should have been looking after her, appears to have no concern for her safety, and Mark intends to report the matter to the police.

OF COURSE I DO- SHE'S MEG COOPER'S KIDDIE- NOW IF I FIND YOU A BAR OF CHOC, YOU GO AND SIT QUIET ON A CHAIR, HUH?
YES... THANK YOU!
NOW WHAT'S YOUR PROBLEM, MARK?
HER UNCLE LEFT HER ALONE IN THE HIGH STREET AND SHE NEARLY HAD A BAD ACCIDENT!
HE'S NOT CONCERNED ABOUT HER AT ALL!
H'MM... I KNOW HER UNCLE, AND A REAL BAD'UN HE IS TOO! HE'S ONLY BEEN AROUND THIS DISTRICT A WEEK OR SO, BUT I'VE BEEN KEEPING AN EYE ON HIM!

WELL, NOW'S THE CHANCE TO BOOK HIM, SARGE!
ON WHAT CHARGE, SONNY? I AGREE, IT WAS WRONG OF HIM TO LET CATHY WANDER ABOUT TOWN ALONE, BUT THAT'S NOT A CRIMINAL CHARGE!
BUT SURELY-
CATHY- THANK GOODNESS YOU'RE SAFE!

SHE'S OKAY, MRS COOPER- BUT HOW COME YOU LET HER WANDER AROUND TOWN ALONE?
I DIDN'T- MY BROTHER-IN-LAW, FLOYD, TOOK HER FROM HOME!
OH, NO!
IF HE TOOK HER WITHOUT YOUR PERMISSION, THAT'S A SERIOUS OFFENCE. YOU LAY CHARGES AGAINST HIM AND-
MRS COOPER, YOU'RE FRIGHTENED OF SOMETHING, I THINK YOU'D BETTER TELL ME ALL ABOUT IT!
YES, DO, MRS COOPER- COME AND SIT DOWN AND TELL SERGEANT WATERFIELD. HE'LL HELP YOU!

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WELL...SINCE MY HUSBAND DIED, IT HASN'T BEEN EASY BRINGING CATHY UP, BUT I MANAGED ALL RIGHT UNTIL TWO WEEKS AGO - AND THEN FLOYD SHOWED UP..
HE WAS A SHEEP SHEARER IN QUEENSLAND, BUT I THINK HE GOT INTO SOME SORT OF TROUBLE AND CAME DOWN HERE!
GO ON.
HE WANTED TO BORROW MONEY, BUT I ONLY HAD A LITTLE SAVINGS, AND I KNEW HE'D NEVER PAY IT BACK...
COOLBAR POLICE
WHEN I REFUSED, HE THREATENED THAT CATHY MIGHT... MIGHT MEET WITH AN ACCIDENT. HE'S BAD ENOUGH TO DO ANYTHING, SO - SO I LET HIM HAVE THE MONEY!
NOW DON'T YOU FRET, MRS COOPER - NOBODY CAN GO AROUND MAKING THREATS LIKE THAT AND GET AWAY WITH IT!
MARK'S RIGHT - I'M GOING TO GET HIM!
YOU STILL DON'T UNDERSTAND - IF YOU CHARGED HIM AND TOOK HIM TO COURT, WHAT SENTENCE WOULD HE GET?
WELL...HE HASN'T ACTUALLY COMMITTED A CRIME, JUST THREATENED YOU, SO I GUESS HE'D BE FINED OR MAYBE GET A MONTH IN PRISON!
AND AFTER THAT, HE'D COME BACK FOR HIS REVENGE...
I'LL NEVER KNOW A MINUTE'S PEACE WHILE FLOYD IS ABOUT ... AND THE LAW CAN'T HELP ME!

More next week!

POPEYE
SPINACH
OLIVE'S MY GAL!
NO SHE AIN'T! SHE'S MINE!
BAM!
1066
FIGHTING AGAIN! YOU'RE JUST A COUPLE OF RUFFIANS! I WON'T GO OUT WITH EITHER OF YOU!
THE MAN OF MY DREAMS IS A MAN OF CULTURE! AN ARTIST, A POET OR A COMPOSER OF BEAUTIFUL MUSIC!
I GUESS OLIVE'S RIGHT. I YAM A ROUGH SORT O' GUY!
MAYBE IF I WASN'T SUCH A ROUGHNECK, OLIVE WOULD GO OUT WITH ME!
SO...
I'LL PROVE TO OLIVE I HAS AN ARTISTIC TEMPRAMINK!
AND...
WHEN OLIVE HEARS MY POEM HER HEART WILL MELT!
LATER...
HEY, OLIVE! TAKE A LOOK AT MY PAINTING!
IT'S A PORTRAIT O' ME AN', BRUTUS!
OH, NO! IT'S ALL TOUGH STUFF!
SAY, OLIVE! LISTEN TO MY POEM!
TO THINK THAT I SHALL NEVER SEE SOMEONE WHO CAN PUNCH AS HARD AS ME. I'M A GUY NEVER KNOWN TO MISS A SAILOR WHO NEEDS A SMACK ON THE KISSER!
TYPICAL! ALL ABOUT FIGHTING!
I GUESS MUSIC IS MY ONLY HOPE!
LATER...
SAY, OLIVE I'D LIKE YA TO HEAR POPEYE'S SYMPHONY FOR TROMBONE AND CHORUS!
I CAN SEE THE TROMBONE— WHERE'S THE CHORUS?
OW!
OUCH!
WAIL!
I MIGHT'VE KNOWN!

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Next week, musical merriment with Swee'pea

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